

A Bank Story

Smith owed Skinner & Co. \$5.00. He went in one day and handed them \$5.00 in cash. Skinner forgot to take it off his books, and the next month presented the same bill. He thought he had paid it, but, having no proof, SMITH PAID TWICE

Jones owed Skinner & Co. \$5.00. He went in one day and handed them a check on this bank for \$5.00. Skinner forgot to take it off his books but the next month when the bill was presented to him, Jones balked. He said: "See here, Mr. Skinner, I paid that bill last month and here is the check which the bank has returned to me, with your name endorsed on the back, showing that you got the money." JONES PAID ONCE

This illustrates only one of the advantages of a bank account

The Farmers and Merchants Bank

Mansfield, Missouri

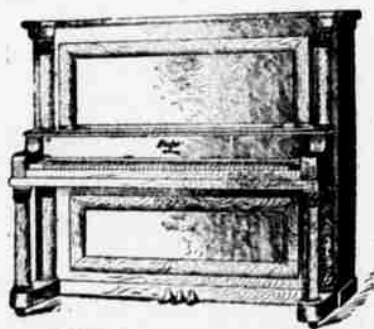
J. D. REYNOLDS, President
N. J. CRAIG, Cashier
J. E. CRAIG, Assistant Cashier
P. W. NEWTON
F. B. FUSON

Farm Loans!

I have some private money to loan on improved farms in Wright county. If you want to borrow money on your farm come and see me.

N. J. Craig
Mansfield, Mo.

Pianos



For All

C. L. Beach Sons
Music Company..

YOUNG MEN'S BUSINESS CLUB

Mansfield, Missouri

Regular Meetings First and Third Tuesday Evenings of Each Month at the G. A. R. Hall
F. H. RILEY, Pres. W. C. CODAY, Sec'y

WOLF CREEK.

(Special Correspondence)

The rain did come and everybody feels glad

Several farmers had to drive their stock quite a distance to water—and were glad to do that.

Corn cutting is almost over. What will we do with all of our fodder?

Mrs. Sikes has her silo filled and her alfalfa sowed.

Miss Sarah Sikes has the mumps

Crate Young's have the mumps at their house. Raymond doesn't like peaches, anyway

Mr. Lakey's are about through mumping and Mr. Lakey has resumed baling hay

Jeff and Elmer Coday have been topping corn. They surely have fine corn for any year, if it has been dry.

Mr. Rowland says he will have to go to cutting alfalfa again as soon as the weather clears up. It's fine. Better try a patch, Bro. Farmer

Rev. Anderson won't smoke out any more squirrels when it is so dry. He knew where the fire went, but where is Bunny?

Drue Turner visited on Wolf Creek Monday and took home a fine calf. He believes in progression—if T. R. didn't get there

Wonder where Archie Wilcox goes so often up toward Mr. Oetting's?

Aunt Martha Gann is still very low. Her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Ivy, of Carl Junction, is with her

There is singing at Wolf Creek every Saturday evening

Now, Mr. Farmer, the reunion and stock show will soon be here and it is time to get busy and to help the Young Men's Business Club make a success of their undertaking, and if we will all do our part in showing the people what Wright county has produced in the way of stock and farm products it will help our brother townsmen in many ways. So let us get in the harness and do our best to make the enterprise a success

Sunday school as usual at the old log church every Sunday morning.

Preaching at the Freewill Baptist church every third Saturday and Sunday. Rev. Findley, pastor.

Sunday school at the Holiness church every Sunday. James Iva, superintendent.

YOU KNOW.

Despondency

Is often caused by indigestion and constipation, and quickly disappears when Chamberlain's Tablets are taken. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

A SURPRISE

N. S. Miller, Mansfield's popular assistant postmaster, had a birthday anniversary Friday. His wife had prepared for him a sumptuous birthday dinner—and he thought the occasion had received due recognition.

But a surprise was in store for him. Friday evening about 65 of his neighbors and friends gathered at his home, with baskets full of good things to eat, and gave him—and his wife, too—a genuine surprise. The Mansfield Concert Band furnished music, and a most enjoyable time was had by all.

The guests departing wished Mr. Miller many happy returns of the day.

A TEXAS WONDER

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, removing gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in Children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other states. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

Sheep Raisers, Attention!

The following letter is self-explanatory. The meeting suggested will be held at the court house in Hartville Friday, Sept. 19, at 2 p. m.

Columbia, Mo., Sept. 3, 1913
Editor Mansfield Mirror,
Mansfield, Missouri.

Dear Sir,

On reassuming the office of State Veterinarian, I find that the Federal Government is contemplating a quarantine on Wright County on account of scabies among sheep. If this county is quarantined, it will entail a lot of trouble and inconvenience to the sheep owners, and cause this office considerable expense and trouble

I would like to have a mass meeting of sheep growers from all over the county in Hartville on Sept. 19, for the purpose of devising some way to avoid this quarantine. I wish you would give this matter due notice in your paper and lend me your assistance in getting a good attendance. I shall hope for the hearty cooperation of all the sheep raisers of your county.

I will leave Lebanon on the afternoon of Sept. 18 and arrive at Mansfield either that night or the next morning, and from Mansfield I will drive to Hartville. You will know from this about what time I will arrive at Hartville, and I wish you would have the meeting planned so that we can hold it promptly on my arrival

Thanking you in advance for your cooperation, I remain

Yours respectfully,
D. F. LUCKEY,
State Veterinarian

Unightly Face Spots

Are cured by Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment, which heals all skin eruptions. No matter how long you have been troubled by itching, burning or scaly skin humors, just put a little of that soothing antiseptic, Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment, on the sores and the suffering stops instantly. Healing begins that very minute. Doctors use it in their practice and recommend it. Mr. Alleman, of Littleton, Pa., says: "Had eczema on forehead; Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment cured it in two weeks." Guaranteed to relieve or money refunded. All druggists, or by mail. Price 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis. Your druggist.—Adv.

Buy More Hogs Here

R. C. Ayers of Westboro was here last week and bought of A. T. Friend 135 head of heavy feeding hogs, weighing 146 pounds each. Mr. Ayers says he bought some last year from Mr. Friend—and did well with them and so he came after some more this year.

Mother of Eighteen Children.

"I am the mother of eighteen children and have the praise of doing more work than any young woman in my town," writes Mrs. C. J. Martin, Boone Mill, Va. "I suffered for five years with stomach trouble and could not eat as much as a biscuit without suffering. I have taken three bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets and am now a well woman and weigh 168 pounds. I can eat anything I want to and as much as I want and feel better than I have at any time in ten years. I refer to anyone in Boone Mill or vicinity and they will vouch for what I say." Chamberlain's Tablets are for sale by all dealers.—Adv.

FAIR CIRCUIT ARRANGED.

Mansfield—Sept. 24, 25, 26, 27.
Ava—October 1, 2, 3, 4.
Mountain Grove—Oct. 9, 10, 11
Hartville—Oct. 14, 15, 16, 17, 18.

Notice

The New Traction Wood Saw will saw your Wood anytime after the carnival.
Adv. Phone W. O. WRIGHT.

I H C LOW LIFT Manure Spreaders



All that the Name Implies: Easy to Load, Has Abundant Tractive Power, Spreads the Manure Light, Medium or Heavy
Call and examine this Manure Spreader and let me explain its superior features

J. C. Carter



People Who Know the Milburn Don't Want Any Other.

Buying a wagon is making a permanent investment. The better the wagon, the better the investment. It would be a short sighted policy for you to let just a few dollars difference in price keep you from getting the best wagon made, since you will buy only one in a lifetime.

Come in and See Our Stock of MILBURNS

There is no question about the Milburn being the leading wagon of America. It costs a little more than others, but there are the best reasons in the world why. Better material, better make, stronger, lighter running, longer lived.

If you need a wagon, give us a chance to talk Milburn to you. You are nothing out and there will be no hard feelings if you don't buy.

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Mansfield Drug Company

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Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines, Chemicals
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MAIL HACK TO AVA

Passengers, Baggage, Express, Etc.

Leaves Mansfield at 6 a. m. Arrives at Ava at 10 a. m.

Leaves Ava at 1:15 p. m. Arrives at Mansfield at 5:30 p. m.

M. HODGE, PROPRIETOR

Telephone

Mansfield, Missouri